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Applicants:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 **September 25, 2003**

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicant hereby respectfully petitions for an extension of time to permit filling a response within the first month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed June 4, 2003. A credit card charge in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (500.41080X00) and any excess fees credited to that account.

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